

**QUARTERLY LISTING OF COMMUNITY ISSUES
AND RELATED PROGRAMMING**

**WLS-TV
Chicago, Illinois**

From **January through March, 2001**, WLS-TV aired 15 regularly scheduled local programs dealing with community issues, more than 748 public service announcements, and a number of special programs. WLS-TV also broadcasts more than 34 hours of local news programs per week, as well as ABC network programs, which are listed in the **ABC TELEVISION NETWORK NEWS and PUBLIC AFFAIRS PROGRAMMING REPORT** in our public file.

Our regularly scheduled newscasts air on the following days and times:

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| Monday through Friday: | 5-6am; 6-7am; 11:30am-noon; 4-4:30pm; 4:30-5pm; 5-5:30pm; 6-6:30pm; and 10-10:35pm. The 10pm news reruns Monday through Thursday nights at 1:05-1:40am. |
| Saturday: | 5-5:30pm; 10-10:35pm |
| Sunday: | 6-7am; 8-10am; 5-5:30pm; 10-10:35pm. The 10pm news reruns Sunday night at approximately 1:05-1:40am.. |

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Following is a list of our regularly-scheduled public affairs programs:

CHICAGOING (Sundays at 11:30am-12n)

Bill Campbell hosts this community showcase which features Chicago's diverse neighborhoods and cultural opportunities.

SANCTUARY (Sundays at various times. Monthly)

Community issues are looked at from a spiritual angle. Rotating hosts are Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish.

NEWS VIEWS (Sundays within 8am news)

Alan Krashesky covers political issues.

KNOW YOUR HERITAGE (Sundays at 11-11:30am)

High school students compete in their knowledge of Black History.

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The following is a listing of the public affairs specials we aired in the first quarter, 2001:

QUEST FOR FREEDOM: THE HARRIET TUBMAN STORY

Sunday, 1/14, 1-2pm

Harriet Tubman's dream becomes reality as her courage results in freedom in this award-winning Black History Month Special.

WOMEN'S HEALTH SERIES: HEALTHY HEART, Sunday, 1/14, 4-5pm

This special looks at the risk of high blood pressure and what women can do to lower their pressure through proper diet and regular exercise. It also takes a look on the diagnosis and treatment of high cholesterol.

UCP: PARTNERS WHO CARE, Sunday, 3/4, 12-1pm

This commercial-free show aims at educating the audience about the services United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Chicago provides. It is also meant to raise funds for this charity that helps the disabled.

PEOPLE, PLACES, AND THINGS... YOU SHOULD KNOW: MAKING HISTORY

Saturday, 2/17, 6-6:30pm; rerun Sunday, 3/4, 1-1:30pm

This program highlights a wide variety of Black men and women inventors who have made major contributions to the progress of society.

REMARKABLE JOURNEY

Sunday, 2/27, 2:40-3:40am, rerun Sunday, 3/4, 1:30-2:30pm

Four well-known African American achievers who have excelled in the face of overwhelming odds.

TAPESTRY PRESENTS: LATINOS IN THE MEDIA, Saturday, 3/24, 6:30-7pm

Half hour special focusing on the strides Latinos are making in the media industry in Chicago and across the United States.

HEALTHBEAT: EASING THE PAIN WITH SYLVIA PEREZ

Saturday, 3/31, 6-6:30pm

Show profiling various new treatments helping to treat chronic pain from heel, back, knee to headache pain

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Through meetings with community residents we've determined that the following issues are of particular importance to our local community:

- **CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND EDUCATION**
- **MINORITIES/DIVERSITY**
- **GOVERNMENT RESOURCES AND COMMUNITY SERVICES**
- **NEIGHBORHOOD GENTRIFICATION/DEVELOPMENT AND AFFORDABLE HOUSING**
- **CRIME**
- **HEALTH CARE, SAFETY, AND DISABILITIES**
- **MISCELLANEOUS**

Some of the station's most significant treatment of those issues is described in the pages that follow.